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FOLLOWING AP STORIES RAN ON AP WIRE NOVEMBER 6 BEING
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AP 64

TEL AVIV - PREMIER GOLDA MEIR TOLD HER GOVERNMENT THAT
SHE REJECTED AMERICAN DEMANDS TO KEEP SUPPLY LINES OPEN
PERMANENTLY O EGYPT'S TRAPPED THIRD ARMY AND TO MOVE
BACK ISRAELI FORCES INSIDE EGYPT, THE NEWSPAPER
MAARIV REPORTED TODAY.

THE NEWSPAPER, WHOSE POLITICAL CORRESPONDENTS HAVE
ACCESS TO GOVERNMENT SOURCES, SAID MRS. MEIR TOLD A
SECRET CABINET SESSION AFTER HER RETURN FROM WASHINGTON
ON MONDAY THAT "THESE ARE THE MAIN DISAGREEMENTS" WITH
PRESIDENT NIXON AND SECRETARY OF STATE HENRY A. KISSINGER.

MAARIV SAID MRS. MEIR TOLD HER MINISTERS THAT DISCUSSIONS
WITH NIXON AND KISSINGER WERE "TENSE AND DIFFICULT" AND
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THAT KISSINGER INSISTED ON MORE HELP FOR THE ENCIRCLED

EGYPTIAN ARMY.

CONTENTS OF THE MEETING WERE KEPT OFFICIALLY
CONFIDENTIAL BY CABINET AIDES TODAY AS KISSINGER
PREPARED TO FLY TO CAIRO FOR TALKS WITH PRESIDENT
ANWAR SADAT.

AN ESTIMATED 20,000 MEN OF THE EGYPTIAN THIRD ARMY ARE
MAROONED ALONG THE SUEZ CANAL, LIVING ON FOOD AND WATER
PERMITTED THROUGH ISRAELI LINES. WITHDRAWING ISRAELI
FORCES TO POSITIONS OF OCTOBER 22, THE DATE OF THE FIRST
U.N. CEASE-FIRE, WOULD BREAK THE ENCIRCLEMENT OF THE
EGYPTIANS. END.

AP 70

TUNIS - SECRETARY OF STATE HENRY A. KISSINGER FLEW INTO
TUNIS TODAY AFTER MORE THAN SEVEN HOURS OF DISCUSSIONS
WITH KING HASSAN II OF MOROCCO ON THE FIRST LEG OF HIS
MIDDLE EAST PEACE MISSION.

IN A DEPARTURE STATEMENT BEFORE LEAVING RABAT, THE
MOROCCAN CAPITAL, KISSINGER SAID HIS TALKS WITH HASSAN
"WERE CONDUCTED IN AN ATTITUDE OF FRIENDSHIP BUT ALSO
CONTRIBUTED GREATLY TO MY UNDERSTANDING OF THE POINT OF
VIEW OF THE ARAB COUNTRIES."

HE PLANNED TO SPEND FOUR HOURS IN TUNIS FOR A CONVERSATION
WITH PRESIDENT HABIB BOURGUIBA AND THEN CONTINUE TO
CAIRO TONIGHT. END.

AP 77

WASHINGTON - SECRETARY OF STATE HENRY KISSINGER HAS
TURNED DOWN AN INVITATION TO ACCEPT THE 1973 NOBEL
PEACE PRIZE IN PERSON "BECAUSE OF THE PRESS OF BUSINESS
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IN A WORLD BESET BY RECURRENT CRISIS."

IN A LETTER TO THE NOBEL PEACE PRIZE COMMITTEE IN OSLO,
NORWAY, KISSINGER NAMED AMBASSADOR THOMAS BYRNE TO
ACCEPT THE HONOR IN HIS PLACE DURING CEREMONIES DECEMBER
10. BYRNE IS THE AMERICAN AMBASSADOR TO NORWAY.

THE LETTER WAS DATED NOVEMBER 2 AND ADDRESSED TO MRS.

AASE LIONAES, CHAIRMAN OF THE COMMITTEE.

KISSINGER WROTE THAT "I AM DEEPLY MOVED BY THE AWARD
OF THE NOBEL PEACE PRIZE, WHICH I REGARD AS THE HIGHEST
HONOR ONE COULD HOPE TO ACHIEVE IN THE PURSUIT OF PEACE
ON THIS EARTH. END.

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